

CONTROVERSIAL EX-NEW ORLEANS D.A., JIM GARRISON STIRS WORMS IN BESTSELLER, STAR SPANGLED CONTRACT

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Headline-maker, Jim Garrison, who as New Orleans District Attorney, investigated President Kennedy's death, is in the news again with his bestseller, STAR SPANGLED CONTRACT, timely released amidst continuing publicized abuses of government agencies and the reopened investigation of the Warren Commission findings.

His book, a novel account of the post-Ford era, stirs a lot of worms as to who's really behind all the assassinations. STAR SPANGLED CONTRACT is the story of ex-CIA agent Colin McFerrin's desperate effort to protect the President from an assassination attempt by intelligence forces within his own government.

Describing his novel, Garrison says, "It is the story of an individual attempting to fight a machine. McFerrin is a man whose deep-rooted belief in the America that is supposed to be and perhaps should be makes his survival difficult in the America that is. His stubborn idealism causes him to become a threat to the survival of powerful elements in the central government. That force, against which he becomes pitted by his character and by circumstances, is represented by the complex of federal police and intelligence agencies which have grown more powerful since the emergence of the Cold War."

The point of the book according to Garrison, "is that individuals have to stand up to power, whether they survive or not, if humanity as opposed to mankind is to survive."

Jim Garrison investigated the cases of Jack Ruby and Lee Oswald and the assassination of John F. Kennedy and told that story in his first book, HERITAGE OF STONE. He was New Orleans District Attorney for 12 years, an Army officer in World War II, an FBI man, and now practices law in New Orleans.

If you would like Jim Garrison as a guest for one of your shows or for an interview to talk about his experiences as DA during the Kennedy death investigations, his views of government agency abuses, the reopened Warren Commission findings and other topics suggested by his intriguing bestseller, please call me -- collect -- as soon as possible so we may set a date in June 13 in Los Angeles.

Best regards,

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